

Grade Kindergarten- Tuesday, April 23, 2020

Social Studies

Overview: Our Social Studies unit this month is all about Farms. We learned about farm animals and last week we visited a Dairy Farm.

This week we will learn all about agriculture. Agriculture is the practice of farming, growing crops or raising animals. This week we are going to talk about growing different crops on a farm. We are going to go on a virtual field trip to the state of California. We are going to visit a citrus grove. What crops are grown on a citrus grove. Citrus grows the most in the state of Florida and California, where it is nice and warm.

Things to Know:


1. Sit with mom, dad, grandparent or guardian, or your older brother or sister to enjoy the activities.
2. You will not need to submit work for today's lesson. You are talking with a family member and trying a citrus fruit (if allowed).
3. This week's lesson for Social Studies will be identifying different crops, with a focus on fruit.

Explanation: You will look at some real pictures of citrus fruit and how they grow. You will take a Virtual field trip to a citrus grove in the state of California. You will have a conversation with a family member about what you learned.

Tasks	Resources
Lesson Introduction: Review of how fruits and vegetables grow. Introduction to citrus fruits.	Review: Agriculture is the practice of farming. Citrus fruits are grown on a citrus tree and need to be picked. Please look at the pictures below this lesson plan to see an orange tree and lime tree in the state of California. They are beautiful and if you close your eyes and try really hard you may be able to smell them. 😊 Can you name these kinds of fruit that are called citrus?



Lemons, limes, oranges... do you like to eat any of these fruits?

<p>1. Learn: Visit a Citrus Grove in the state of Florida.</p>	<p>*Let's go on another field trip.... Today we are going to visit a citrus grove. Have you ever been to California? Do you like to drink orange juice? How about lemonade? Do you like to eat lemons? Are they sweet or sour? Click on this link to learn all about a citrus grove in the state of California. https://safeYouTube.net/w/6b67</p>
<p>2. Try: Citrus fruit- ask mom or dad first</p>	<p>Do you have any citrus fruits at your house now? If you do and with your parent's permission, try it. Which fruit did you try? Was it sweet? Was it sour? Note the smell, citrus often has a strong sweet smell. Can you smell it? What color was the fruit you have?</p>
<p>3. Do: You are a farmer on a citrus grove. Now color the trees and fruit you would find on a citrus grove.</p>	<p>You can color the citrus fruit. I will also email your parents the coloring sheet. Be sure to color the fruit and trees using appropriate colors.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>Citrus color sheet.docx</p> </div>
<p>4. Extra Practice: Draw a citrus grove.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can you draw a citrus grove? You could draw 4 or more citrus trees in a row, like you saw on the video. Be sure to label your picture.
<p>5. How is this assignment turned into the teacher?</p>	<p>There is no specific written work to turn in for this assignment. Just talk with a family member about the field trip to the citrus grove and what you saw. You do not need to submit your coloring sheet. We can also "conference" about your work if you are having difficulty during my "office hours". Thank you and have fun learning today!</p>





Orange tree
on the tree pictures. Wow!

Look at all the oranges that are



These are limes growing on a potted lime tree.